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Celebrities Participate In Cornerstone Laying

Sunny skies and 60-degree temperatures prevailed during Tuesday's cornerstone laying ceremonies for the new University library.

Part of the ceremony was conducted in the University Auditorium because of the long program.

University President Milo Bail gave the purpose of the meeting. Dr. Robert Harper, chairman, Faculty Library Planning Committee; Miss Ellen Lord, University Librarian and W. Dean Vogel, past president of the Board of Regents, told the steps in planning the Library.

Post Presents Cornerstone

Lt. Duane Post presented the cornerstone, a gift from the class of 1954. Donna Reynolds, chairman of the Student Council Cornerstone Committee, announced the contents of the box being inserted in the cornerstone.

The box contains the University catalog, a message from each campus organization, a scroll signed by all faculty members and a scroll signed by students.

Also included were copies of the Gateway and Tomahawk, pictures of the library during construction and a copy of the World-Herald.

George Pardee, president of the Board of Regents, gave the Oration.

Erixon Inserts Box at Site

Student Council President Jim Erixon inserted the metal box in the cornerstone. John Latenser and Sons, Architects, presented the working tools.

Clarence Kirkland, chairman of the Building and Grounds Committee, assisted by the Regents, spread the mortar.

The University band played the National Anthem during the raising of the flag. Erixon recited the Pledge of Allegiance while the cornerstone was lowered.

Stone Tested

Louis Sonberg, chairman of the Library Committee and Vogel tried the stone for plumb and level.

President Bail pronounced the stone sound and true; Student Council members decorated it with flowers.

President Bail thanked friends and students of the University, for helping in one of the most significant jobs done today.

Two Attend Meetings

Miss Kathryn Schaake, director of women's physical education at OU, is attending the Women's Physical Education Conference in St. Paul, Minn. The conference ends tomorrow.

Dr. Bruce Linton, head of the Department of Speech, Radio and Dramatics at OU, is attending the Central States Speech Convention at St. Louis, Mo. The convention will end Sunday.

ROTC Members Advance in Rank

Staff Sgt. posts were granted to Francis Buglewicz, Jack Fullerton, Garland Griffith and Jack Kubat. Others are Larry Means, Charles Pratt, Lew Radcliffe and Steven Schwid.

Advanced to Airmen 1st Class are Leigh Fried, Keith McMillan, William Pate and Stanley Schaezele. New Airmen 2nd Class are John Jakobsen, David Haney, William Julian, James Plaster and Kenneth Ruwe.

Regents Give Okay To Buy Furniture

Board of Regents okayed \$145,000 to be used for new library furnishings.

Most of the money appropriated last week will be used for steel book shelves, tables and chairs, audio-visual equipment and furnishings for the adult education wing, announced Miss Ellen Lord, University Librarian. The largest piece of furniture will be the main circulation table.

Miss Lord has recently visited other libraries to compare notes on the latest ideas in library furnishings. She has visited several Omaha libraries, St. Cloud Teachers College Library, North Dakota State College library at Fargo and Midland College library at Fremont. She has also viewed slides of Oklahoma A and M library at Stillwater, Okla.

Lights Change Floors Quickly

"The Case of the Vanishing Lightbulbs," or "Bulb-snatcher's Paradise."

This seems to be the case with the new experimental fluorescent lights. The Building and Maintenance Department has been trying them out on third floor, and then, without warning—they disappeared; only to appear on the fourth floor. This is not the work of magicians, but is being done in order to give better perspective to the effectiveness of this type of lighting.

"The decision of whether to install them all over the building is now up to President Bail," commented Ernie Anfinson, one of the installing electricians.

Regents Request Plans, Estimates From Architects

At their Mar. 17 meeting, the Board of Regents asked John Latenser and Sons, architects, to draw detailed plans and submit estimates for four proposed improvements and additions to the OU campus.

Included in the plans will be a library unloading zone to be constructed north of the new library. This will make the library main entrance accessible from Dodge Street.

A music department will be added to the south of the Fieldhouse. Tennis courts, tentatively located north of the Fieldhouse, will be shown in the drawings.

Two new parking lots would be constructed north of the Fieldhouse as part of a program for improved parking facilities on campus.

The Regents tabled plans for a proposed three-level parking lot to be carved from the hill south of the Administration Building. Estimated cost of this project was about \$750,000.

Present parking lot capacity is 764 student cars, 136 faculty and staff cars and ten visitors' cars.

Plans are under consideration for assessment of students who drive. This fee would help to maintain parking lots and provide for traffic direction.

Applications Due

Students planning to graduate in June must apply for degrees immediately, Miss Alice Smith, Registrar, reported. Deadline for applications is Apr. 1.

Tyson to Begin Instruction On 'TV Classroom' Series



Principles of speech correction is the new TV Classroom course starting tomorrow over KMTV.

The half-hour show will be presented at 10 a. m. every Saturday until June 25. Two credits will be given each registered student.

The program will concern the child and his speech. Instruction will be given on normal and abnormal speech development.

Dr. J. D. Tyson, professor of speech, is shown above testing the high frequency hearing of student

Don Blauw. Blauw's hearing ability is being tested on an audiometer which measures hearing loss.

The machine is regulated by knobs which record the chosen frequency tones that control loudness levels to tell what kind of sound a person hears and how loud it must be before he hears it.

The normal speaking tone ranges from 125 cycles, middle C on the piano, to 250 cycles, three octaves above middle C.

Choir, Mardigals to Present Annual Easter Convocation

Davis Divides School Bureau

Reorganization is in order for the Bureau of Testing, Counseling and Research, according to its acting director, Dr. Stanley E. Davis.

The Bureau will be divided into four groups, each specializing in a particular field. The Reading and Study Skill Improvement, Non-Student Counseling and Testing, and the Research division's will be directed by Davis, while Dr. Gale Olesen will head the Student Counseling and Testing group. Dr. Francis Hurst, psychology instructor, will assist in direction of Reading and Study.

Major function of the Bureau is to aid students in improving their academic skills. The Bureau's services are also available to non-students who desire and need vocational and educational guidance.

Main purpose of the reorganization is to expand the Bureau's services to students and various departments of the school. It is also hoped that more students will be encouraged to make use of the facilities and personnel skills available at the Bureau.

Gateway to Add New Staff Worker

The GATEWAY plans to add a new member to its staff in the near future. A Polaroid back attachment is due to arrive in the Journalism Department this week.

This new Polaroid back will enable staff photographers to snap better detailed pictures and deliver prints immediately without loss of time in the darkroom. The special back eliminates the developing process by producing the print in one minute! However, the camera can now be used only for quick prints as no negative is produced.

Although its primary use will be confined to the Journalism Department, the camera will also be available for use in other departments.

College Finishes Visitation Series

The College of Education has just finished a series of five interdepartmental visitations with other colleges in the University.

Education Dean F. H. Gorman started the sessions last fall to promote "mutual understanding of problems."

Gorman commented, "We recognize that teacher education is a total university function. No students take work in only one college."

Since the College of Education has some students in all other colleges, education instructors have invited the department heads of the other colleges to their faculty meetings.

Business Administration, Liberal Arts, and the non-teaching service personnel have attended these meetings.

Dean Gorman points out that through co-operation colleges can get to know and help each other. They will be able to advise students better on combinations of courses and to maintain standard scholastic requirements.



OU's largest convocation, the annual Easter Convocation, will be 10 a. m. Tuesday in the University Auditorium.

Madrigal Singers and the University Choir will present the program directed by Richard H. Brewster, vocal music instructor.

This convocation, unlike others, consists entirely of OU talent.

The program is divided into three parts. First part is Madrigal singing "Jesus, Dearest Master," by Johann Sebastian Bach. The text consists of six verses of a Hymn by Johann Franck, with

Class Schedule

Tuesday, Apr. 5

1st Period 8:30 a. m.

2nd Period 8:55-9:50 a. m.

Convocation ... 10:10 a. m.

3rd Period 11 a. m.-12:15 p. m.

five intervening movements from verses of the eighth chapter of the Epistle to the Romans.

The second part is Don McKeen reading the Easter story from the Triumphal Entrance into Jerusalem to the Resurrection.

Numbers by the full choir comprise the final part. They will sing "Psalm 100" by Heinrich Schutz; "Crucifixus" by Lotti; "All Breathing Life" by Johann Sebastian Bach; "The Creation" by Tom Scott, narrated by Bruce Hirsch and the "Marvelous Benediction" by Lutkin.

College Department Produces 'First' Film

Omaha University's Journalism Department is producing another "first."

A 20 to 25 minute film showing the journalism training program at OU is being filmed and edited by journalists Mark Gautier, Bob Henkel and Galen Lillethorup. They hope to finish the job soon so that the film will be ready for presentation by early spring. An accompanying tape recording will explain scenes.

After completion, the film will be available to schools in the surrounding area or any civic organization which requests its use. No fee will be charged.

Omaha University is one of the first schools to attempt such a project. Journalism Department Head Clifford L. Ellis is technical advisor.

Regents Appoint Beilis to Faculty

The Board of Regents at their last meeting approved the appointment of Michel Beilis as a University Spanish instructor effective next semester.

Beilis has been a part-time instructor in languages in the OU College of Adult Education since 1952. He has served as Educational Specialist for the United States Air Force at Offutt Air Force Base during the same period.

Beilis received his Bachelor's degree from the University of Pittsburgh in 1949 and his Master's degree from Columbia University in 1951.

It's Your Job . . .

Today is the last day of the 1955 Greek Week-Help Week project. As this paper goes to press Thursday, reports are that the Greeks aren't and haven't been turning out en masse to work on the annual project.

We view this situation with alarm tinged with disgust. To us, this unsatisfactory turnout of students is indicative of a school-wide trend of indifference. Or perhaps it puts in bold relief the just plain laziness of too many of us—after all, it is easier to let someone else do our work. Worse still is the fact that this indifference is not confined to social activities—it is evident in our attitude toward our studies, toward the school and even toward life itself.

We think the time has come for us to back up and take a good look at ourselves.

Maybe we Americans have it too easy. Maybe we think too much about ourselves and not enough about the other fellow. Maybe we're not thankful for what we have.

Whatever it is—now is the time to remedy it.

The annual all-school Blood Drive is scheduled for Apr. 19. OU's quota this year is one-third less than last year's because of the poor showing of donors in previous years.

Let's shake off this indifference and really turnout for the 1955 Blood Drive. Let's, as the song advises, "count our blessings." Let's make the 1955 Blood Drive an all-school success. Here is our chance to redeem ourselves.

Remember, this is one job nobody can do for you. Only you can give your blood!

Council Issues Rules On Future Elections

After weeks of consideration, the Student Council has drawn up regulations governing student elections. The following rules apply to Student Council, Student Board of Publication and Class Officer candidates:

I. There shall be no off-campus campaigning. This is to eliminate letters, telephone calls, post cards, literature, parties, etc.

II. There shall be no on-campus campaigning except in the main building and Student Center. This is to eliminate all signs, posters, hand bills, loud speakers, car displays, car tags, etc., in parking lots and on campus grounds.

III. All campaigning in main building shall be restricted to first floor. This is to eliminate posters, campaign literature, etc., from above the first floor.

IV. Each candidate shall be limited to three (3) posters: One to be submitted to the Dean of Student Personnel office and two to be carried in the hall.

Each candidate is held responsible for any of the above regulations. Penalty for breaking these rules is immediate disqualification.

Petitions Due in Dean's Office

Maie Day petitions are due noon, Apr. 1 in the Dean of Student Personnel office.

Petitions for Student Council and Board of Student Publications candidates are due noon, Apr. 26 in the Dean of Student Personnel office.

The all-school election will be May 4.

OU Insurance Class Holds High Average

Omaha insurance men are more intelligent than insurance men in other American cities, according to a University of Omaha insurance professor.

Grant M. Osborn said that 85 per cent of the men in his adult (non-credit) insurance class passed part "A" of the Insurance Institute of America's national examinations. The national average is only 62 per cent.

1. One poster, no larger than 15 x 20 inches, may be used in campaigning in the Student Center. First come—first right to space available rule will prevail.

2. Posters, in the main building, no larger than 15 by 20 inches and carried at all times, may be used in the campaign.

3. Each candidate's picture or name must not appear on any other than these pieces of campaign literature.

This should cut expenses considerably.

V. There shall be no campaign literature distributed or displayed anywhere. This includes main building, first floor. This is to eliminate fly sheets, hand bills, food, gadgets, gimmicks, etc.

VI. Polling limits shall be at the entrance of the cafeteria and campaigning in the cafeteria is illegal.

Summary: All campaigning shall be confined to the first floor of the main building. Each candidate is limited to three posters; one sub-

Faculty, Staff Provided Chance To Give Views On Retirement Fund

University faculty and administration may vote on the new social security bill passed in the State legislature last week.

The bill permits the governor to circulate a petition among the faculty and administration of municipal schools. These persons were not covered in the 1951 revision of the social security bill.

Originally the bill did not include persons employed in churches, schools, colleges and governmental agencies. In '51 the bill was revised and personnel working in the Maintenance and Foods Departments of OU were brought under the bill.

Private Schools under Bill

Private schools came under the bill at that time because of their different status in the community.

If OU receives its petition by the end of March, a vote may be taken by the end of June. Ninety days must elapse before the vote to insure faculty and administration ample time to consider the issue. A secret ballot will then be taken from the 125 OU personnel to decide the question.

Bill Retroactive

If the bill were passed, it will be retroactive to Jan. 1, 1955. Persons then retiring will receive monthly allotments from the state. Single persons will receive \$108.50 a month, and married persons will receive \$162.80.

OU Vice-president Charles Hoff said the bill, if passed, would be "a very fine thing for both the University faculty and staff."

Regents' retirement committee is composed of Roman Hruska, Milton Peterson and Thomas Quinlin.

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Sertoma Club To Hear Four Students Debate

Jean Bednar, Sharon Erdkamp, Carolyn Nevins and Arlyss Welch will debate for the Sertoma Club today.

The topic is the National Debate Topic for 1954 and 1955: Shall the United States extend recognition to Communist China.

Mrs. Rosen To Speak To Panel of Americans

Mrs. Joan Meyersiek Rosen, the National Field Representatives of the Panel of Americans, will be at Omaha University Apr. 21 and 22. She will talk to the panel members and faculty. Mrs. Rosen is from the national panel office in New York City.

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Omaha Banker Serves School

W. Dean Vogel, the third subject in the Board of Regents series, is a product of Hartley, Ia.

The 50-year-old financier attended the University of Iowa for three years. He was a member of Phi Kappa Sigma social fraternity.

An Omaha banker for the last 12 years, Vogel is vice-president of the United States National Bank. He held a similar position at the former Live Stock National Bank until 1950. He was associated with the Iowa State Banking Department, the Atlantic State Bank and the Atlantic Finance Co. before moving to Omaha.

Vogel said that banking is a satisfying profession, "a prosperous community is a happy community."

Appointed to the Board of Regents in 1947, Vogel preceded President George C. Pardee as head of the board. He received the appointment after serving as chairman of a research committee of the Omaha Public Schools.

"The time I have spent as a regent has been a great help to me. You can't associate with any great institution without something rubbing off. I'm extremely proud of the University."

Vogel is a member of the Masons, Shriners, chairman of the Home Service of the Red Cross, head of the 1955 Douglas County Cancer drive, and past elder of the Dundee Presbyterian Church.

He is also a director of the Montgomery County Bank and the Murphy Calander Co. in Red Oak, Ia.

Vogel is married and has two children—a son in the Navy and a daughter at the University of Iowa. He spends his spare time fishing and playing golf.

Reader Comments On Dismal April 1

Dear Editor,

I'm walking through the park this morning, minding my own business, not bothering a soul, when a voice behind me screams, "Joe, look out! That truck is heading right for you!"

Joe, that's me. So like a knuckle-head I leap back and fall flat on my face in the mud. Doesn't even occur to me that a truck wouldn't be driving smack through the middle of the park.

I'm still lying in the muck when the voice cackles "April Fool's Day" and I look up and see some crumb disappearing among the trees. Well, I get up and scrap the mud from my suit. By the time I picked up my books and got to school I decide I should have stood in bed.

By the time my eight o'clock class is over I'm sure of it. In a little more than an hour I've been attacked by a time bomb thoughtfully planted in my locker, sent to the Janitor for an automatic broom, searched the art department for a left-handed tube of paint and looked all over the building for a stitch my girl friend dropped while knitting.

All I can say is "Who invented April Fool's Day anyway?" So I decide to find out. I look it up in a book in the library and find, "a relic of those once universal festivals held at the vernal equinox."

No help there so I try another book and get, "In India at the feast of Huli," the last day of which is Mar. 31, the chief amusement is the befooling of people by sending them on fruitless and foolish errands."

Now I'm getting closer, but who is this Huli guy? Well I can't find a third book so I quit and sit down only to find ink spilled all over my newly finished term paper. I am ready to go into convulsions when I hear muffled laughter and discover the "ink" is just a piece of rubber.

My term paper is safe, but in my book that is the last straw. I pick up my gear and make a bee-line away from school but not before someone gets me with the billfold-on-a-string gag.

Disgruntled

'Nebr. Ed. News' Compliments OU

In a recent issue of the NEBRASKA EDUCATION NEWS, OU was called the "Teacher headquarters for all Nebraska." OU's college of Education will celebrate its fifth birthday in Sept.

The college, headed by Dean H. Gorman, offers three specific programs to future teachers; a four-year program for elementary teachers, a four-year program for secondary teachers, and a two-year program for elementary teachers.

Dr. Gorman said the college offers a training program for students interested in kindergarten-primary, elementary, junior high, high school, recreational leadership and nursing. In addition, tomorrow's teachers gain practical experience by teaching in Omaha and suburban schools.

Enrollment in the college of Education has tripled since 1950 although the faculty has only doubled. In addition to the more common education fields, students may also concentrate on any of the following fields: commercial and industrial arts, home economics, music, art, speech, dramatics, physical education, library science, audio-visual, journalism and distributive education.

Graduate courses are also offered in nursing, master teaching, general administration for superintendents, guidance, elementary administration and secondary school administration.

Cain Receives Manager Post

A '54 OU grad has been appointed Business Manager of Monmouth College, Monmouth, Ill. Harlan Cain, present Director of Auxiliary Enterprises at OU, will assume his position at Monmouth on June 15. The college, one of the oldest Liberal Arts colleges in Ill., has an enrollment of 650 students.

Cain will receive his Master's Degree from the OU College of Business Management in the summer of '56. He is working on his thesis entitled, "Auditing and Business Counseling for Student Organizations."

Crowded Classes Subject of Study

University President Milo Ball had a classroom population chart drawn for study of over-crowded University classes.

Each classroom and the different times of use are shown on the chart.

Each room is marked with colored pins denoting the number of students in the rooms at the designated hour. Both day and night classes have been charted.

Study results will show if all classrooms are being properly utilized. For example, if a 100-chair room is being used for a 50-student class, and an 85-chair room for a 95-student class, use of the rooms will be switched.

Five Alums Instruct Journalism in Omaha

Graduates of OU are leaving their mark on the minds of young journalists in Omaha. All five public high schools employ alumni journalism majors on their faculty.

'48 OU grad, Miss McMartin obtained a Masters Degree in Education in '52. As senior class president she set for her goal "to do at least one useful thing in her lifetime." She teaches both Journalism and English at South high.

'Tomahawk' Editor

Larry Boersma, a '53 graduate, is acting journalism instructor at Tech high. While on campus Larry was a member of the Board of Student Publications and served as Gateway make-up editor. In his senior year he was editor of the Tomahawk. He teaches journalism and directs publication of the Tech News.

Mrs. Elizabeth Crabbe attended OU although she did not graduate here. She teaches Central journalism students and directs publication of the Central High Register.

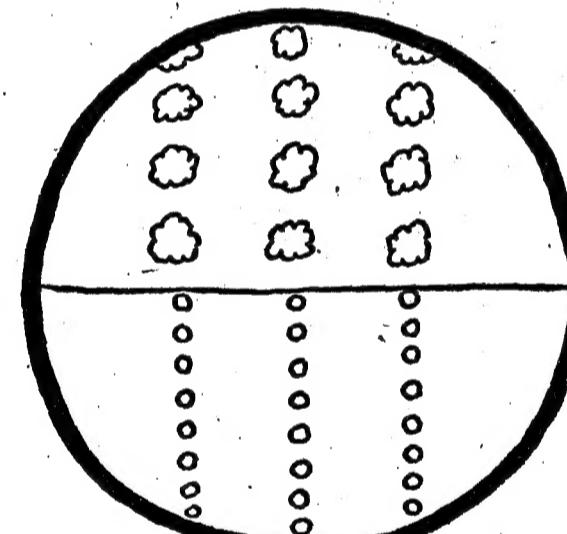
Students To Announce, Write on KBON Day

Student day at radio station KBON will be Tuesday, Apr. 26.

Members of Robert McGranahan's Radio-TV News Writing class will write and edit news casts. Dr. Bruce Linton's Public Speaking class will do the announcing. Students will take over for the complete broadcasting day.

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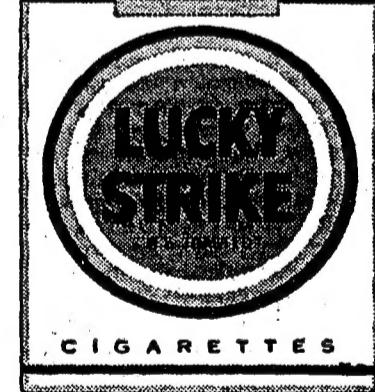
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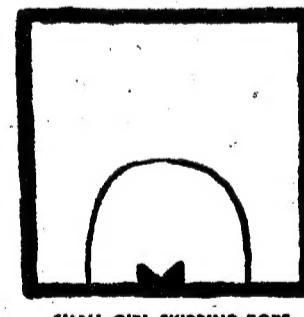
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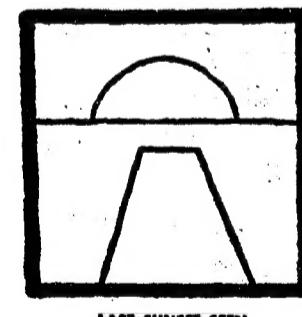
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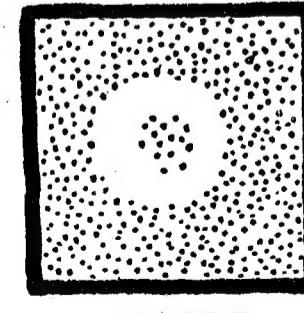
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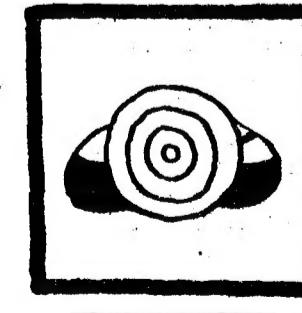
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Pierre Midol-Monnet
Lehigh University



LAST SUNSET SEEN BY PIRATE WALKING PLANK
Ernest Goroepo
University of Hawaii



AERIAL VIEW OF CUSTER'S LAST STAND
Robert L. Wright
University of Virginia



FAT MAN AND FAT LADY BEHIND BEACH UMBRELLA
Judy Gendreau
Marquette University

NO MATTER WHERE YOU ARE, you'll get more pleasure from your cigarette if it's a Lucky Strike. That's the point of the Doodle above, titled: Three deep-sea divers enjoying Luckies. You get deep-down smoking enjoyment from Luckies because they taste better. Why do they taste better? That's easy to fathom. First of all, Lucky Strike means fine tobacco. Then, that tobacco is *toasted* to taste better. "It's Toasted"—the famous Lucky Strike process—tones up Luckies' light, mild, good-tasting tobacco to make it taste even better... cleaner, fresher, smoother. So, when it's light-up time, light up the better-tasting cigarette... Lucky Strike.

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OU Deans Exposed in Crime Wave

Raid Reveals Shady Deals; Campus Heels

Defamatory Information as Told to Harriet Meyers:

My name is Monday—I'm a cop! OU is my beat. It is now 8:01 and I'm leaving the Commissar's office to check on the crime wave sweeping the hallowed halls of old OU. There is a dangerous criminal at large and I must be armed at all times with my muzzle-loader loaded.

As I creep down the hall, I meet some of my colleagues. We are comparing notes on the case when up from behind comes a big man in a dark suit and a hat pulled down low over his eyes. He leans over and says in a sinister voice, "DO YOU HAVE A PETITION FOR THIS MEETING?" It is "Baby-Face" Plaster with one of his Dean of Students' summons clutched in his chubby 'little fist. Subversive Stogies

As we explain hurriedly the purpose of our group, we discover the aroma of Catalpa-pod smoke wafting up from the faculty clubroom. Since there is no "behind-the-woodshed" on the campus, the younger profs have resorted to this haven to smoke their subversive cigars! Dum da dum dum.

At 9:49 I meet with the Student Sleuthing Society (alias Criminology 335) which is charge of a Secret Service project to discover espionage agents in the Nurses' Homes. Their current problem, however, is trying to track down students' grades that were sent out before the three-month aging process was completed!

Meanwhile, back at the ranch—(sorry, wrong story!)

Here comes Mary Padou Watson, disguised as a telephone lineman! Upon further investigation, I find that she has been getting her telephone wires tapped in anticipation of next summer's "dirty rushing"!

Sherlock Mac Strikes Again

A shadow crosses the window—a man armed with a large square object. Terror grips the hearts of the office-girls as Dean Sherlock B. MacGregor returns from his investigation expedition of checking on other deans.

At 10:06 1/2, I see the dangerous criminal I have been searching for—a member of Mu Mu Mu, a sorority with a poster—NOT STAMPED "Dean of Students"!! I creep up behind the dangerous little pledge, and take custody of the erring campaign propaganda!

Campaigning without a stamp is a Federal offense and is punishable by imprisonment in the Registrar's cage for not more than six years. Mu Mu Mu was also prohibited from immediately pledging three other innocent freshmen to replace the lost soul. Dum da dum-dum—dum!

Opportunist

Opportunity has knocked at his door so many times it's got sore knuckles. (CBS Radio).

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Campus Humor

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Counselor: Take an aspirin . . . the butterflies will go away.

W. S.: I took an aspirin . . . they're playing ping pong with it.

—Arizona Kitty Kat.

Why I Never Joined a Sorority

1. I had never danced with a man in my life and I didn't want to.

2. I didn't fit out a sweater and I didn't look very attractive in a sleeveless, low-cut gown.

3. I wanted to do as I wished and think for myself instead of being led around by a bunch of sorority sisters.

4. I had never gone into a women's club or organization before I came to college and I didn't want to start.

5. I didn't like the idea of having to room with the same girl all quarter.

6. I am a Midshipman.

—Annapolis "Femme's" Log.

And then there was the coed

who soaked her strapless evening gown in coffee so it would stay up all night.

—Ohio State Sundial.

The following correction appeared in a small town paper: "Our paper carried the notice last week that Mr. John Jones is a defective in the police force.

This was a typographical error. Mr. Jones is really a detective in the police force."

—Randolph Macon Old Maid.

Itches—Something that when both hands are full, your nose always.

—Sour Owl.

Late to bed,

Early to rise,

Makes a man baggy

Under the eyes.

—Missouri Showme.

Darn!

"All the fun is taken out of middle age by the necessity of setting a good example for the kids."

—(Galen Drake).

OU Teacher Seen Being Swallowed

An emergency warning has been dispatched to all Omaha University students, teachers and visitors:

Don't go near the east parking lot!

The department of buildings and grounds reported that an unidentified instructor was seen being swallowed up in one of the lot's yawning caverns this week. "We don't know which instructor it was," said Alden Aust, "and we probably won't know until payday, because no student is foolish enough to report it." By the way, added Aust, "I knew it was a professor because he was wearing white bucks."

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Final Exam Sneak Preview Proves Helpful To Students

Now that mid-semester exams are over, most students are willing to breathe a sigh of relief and forget all about exams for a while.

But for anyone who might be interested, a sneak preview of final exams has been prepared. The following questions were selected after a rigid examination of absolutely no college test papers.

Questions were chosen on the basis of interest, originality, and clearness of thought. They are designed to do the most people the least good.

Q. A gerundive phrase is definitely not related to (a) higher mathematics (b) Uncle Miltie (c) the sex life of a frog (d) the world's fair.

Q. If three men can do a piece of work in four days, how long will it take 24 men to do it? (a) all night (b) till next week (c) seven feet long (d) depends upon whether the boss is looking.

Q. Washington crossed the Delaware in (a) desperation (b) a houseboat (c) the daytime (d) size 9 boots.

Q. You can fool all of the people some of the time and some of the people all of the time, but you can't fool (a) President Ball (b) with nitroglycerine (c) your local draft board (d) the school nurse.

Q. Davy Crockett didn't get his woman because (a) coffee nerves (b) didn't use chlorophyll gum (c) even his best friends wouldn't tell him.

Whaaat?

Can you guess what this is?? You've seen it around the campus!



All answers should be turned into the feature editor at the GATEWAY office—not later than Tuesday noon, Apr. 5. They should be written on a piece of paper on which the applicant's name and telephone number appear.

Winners will be announced in the next issue of the GATEWAY. We might even give a small prize.

She Was Only...

a creditor's daughter, but she allowed no advances.

a golfer's daughter, but her form was perfect.

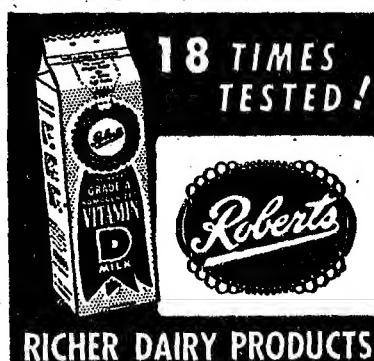
a printer's daughter, but I liked her type.

a chimney sweep's daughter, but she soots me fine.

an aviator's daughter, but she sure gave me the air.

a governor's daughter, but what a state she put me in.

Planning ahead is the quality which sets human beings apart from animals. In which category do you fall?



Q. Shakespeare was (a) a hypochondriac (d) a typical frat man (c) a nervous harpooner (d) lost without his false teeth.

Now that you have had an excellent opportunity to brush up on your English, history, math, and logic; you should have no trouble at all getting an unusual grade on that final exam paper.

Lost and Found

Lost by Dr. Edwin Clark—one theatrical eyebrow.

Lost, strayed or stolen from Home Ec. lab, one marinated mushroom. If found please return at once to Miss Margaret Killian.

Found while digging library foundation, one dinosaur foot. Owner call GL 4700 or stop at bookstore before 5 p.m.

Lost, Dr. Wilfred Payne's finest lecture on Bertrand Russell. Delivered to Adult Ed. class last semester. If found, return to Humanities office.

Clued down in biology lab. One Chrysotoxum Fasciolatum, anyone who can say it can keep it.

Reward—85 farthings offered to anyone giving information leading to the discovery of Mr. Richard Brewer. Last seen in Elmwood Park looking for the lost chord.

Wanted, one mangled sentence, construction doubtful, needed as bad example. Apply to Dr. Ralph Wardle.

Found, parking lot with space for 500 cars. Free parking, all spaces assigned. For further information call Offutt Field. Students welcome.

For rent, one bookworm hole, apply to Miss Ellen Lord.

Lost, perfect frog, preserved in corn whiskey. Finder may keep frog. Please return jar of whiskey. Call TAvern 2345.

Point Dissolves; Speech Outlawed; Silence Prevails

A calamity! A catastrophe! It's worse than an atomic bomb! Because the paint used on the walls is supersensitive to noise, all talking in the building will be banned.

The paint was found to contain a rare substance which gradually disintegrates when it comes within the range of the human voice. At the present rate of speech, the building would have been virtually painless in a few months.

University authorities have issued a statement declaring the school "in a state of emergency." But until such time as sufficient funds can be raised for a new paint job—SILENCE MUST PREVAIL.

This rule becomes effective Apr. 1. Anyone caught talking in the building before school, after school, or between classes will be immediately expelled. Students can be reinstated only after they can explain clearly, without using their hands, how to milk a cow.

All classes will be carried on in sign language. The sign language manuals can be purchased at the Bookstore for only \$9.13.

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Out of the chaos of students struggling for political power on campus, one scrawny figure has prominently emerged: Oswald Mugwump.

Oswald, an Omaha U senior, is currently campaigning for the Senior class presidency. "My peerless record should mirror my abilities," Oswald says, "and if I don't get elected somebody is gonna get hurt."

And Oswald isn't joshing when he says he has compiled an impressive record during his 12 years on the OU campus. During his freshman years he rose to recording secretary of Tappa Kegga Beer, national accomplishment fraternity.

Oswald confesses that he has had no other activities, but "I have been darn busy." Disowned by his parents when he was nine, Oswald has diligently worked his way through college. He was employed as a chicken plucker at Ajax Chicken Eviscerating and Printing Company for three years before his employers discovered he was absconding chicken fat and selling it as hair restorer.

Oswald worked as a bouncer at a local pub until customers complained that he was "putting his nose in other people's business." Not discouraged by these disappointments, Oswald doggedly sought more lucrative employment. "I was only trying to have a little fun," he says.

A member of the Dean's dis-honor list eight years, Oswald boasts a cumulative 0.1 average. "My scholastic accomplishments have been overshadowed only by my grrleffst phffrtt brraack pftti . . ." (Oswald has a recurring speech defect. It originated during his early childhood when a truck ran over his head).



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OU Sorority Houses Must Go Unless Reform Brought About

New spring regulations for sorority houses on South Elmwood Road have been announced by the Dean of Students' Office.

In a letter to the presidents of the organizations it was made clear that this year swimming pools must close by midnight on school nights. Other restrictions were made for sun bathers on sorority house roofs. Several complaints have been received from professors trying to hold the attention of students in their third-floor classes.

Alpha Xi Delta sorority has been ordered to remove the lemonade stand from their front lawn. Dean's office feels that if the sorority cannot finance their house in any other way, they will be forced to leave Sorority Row.

Members of Chi Omega are urged to remember that their air raid shelter is to be used for air raids only. Faculty members have unanimously voted to take away Chi O's popcorn selling license if further complaint is received from the neighboring sororities.

The letter urged Sigma Kappa members to mow their section of the golf course. Several underclassmen have been lost in the tall weeds. Sigma Kappas are urged to either send out their St. Bernards or to sharpen their lawn mowers.

The Dean's office warned officers of Zeta Tau Alpha to replace the army tent that now serves as their house. Department of Malaria Prevention said holes in the mosquito netting were dangerous to tent residents.

Concluding the Dean's proclamation was a statement of enforced Panhellenic Council Rules. Students must now have at least a 1.0 grade point average and must carry a student load of at least three credit hours. This decree will definitely inhibit sorority social life.

General complaints were also included in the report.

Distaste for Sorority Row was expressed in an anonymous letter signed "Interested Observer." "Students of today are the citizens of tomorrow," the letter stated. "Interested Observer" feels that definite action should be taken to correct the deplorable state of croquet cheating.

Lament

Old, but still funny: "My best friend ran away with my girl. Gosh, how I miss him." (Joey Faye)

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Sig Eps To Reveal 'Sweetheart' At Dance Apr. 11; Alums Invited

Sigma Phi Epsilon's Sweetheart Dance will be Apr. 11 at Peony Park. Candidates for Sig Ep Sweetheart must be full-time students at OU and must be going steady with or be pinned, engaged, or married to a Sig Ep member.

Candidates are Nancy Hodgens, Mardee Martin, Joan Palladino, Donna Rasgorshek and Gerri Thompson.

All Sig Ep alumni have been invited to attend the dance.

Chairmen for the evening include Dick Browning, Dale DeBoer, Gene Doeschot, Lowell Huber, Jim Shainholtz and Mike Sullivan.

Dancing will be from 9 p. m. until 1 a. m. to the music of Eddy Haddad. Admission is one Greek card per couple.

Sponsors for the dance are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brock, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Cardwell, Dr. and Mrs. Francis Hurst, and Mrs. and Mrs. J. W. Kurtz and Tom Townsend.

Greeks Begin Spring Plans

Campus Greeks are busy planning parties and special activities for spring vacation.

Alpha Xi Delta

Judy Samuelson, vice-president-elect of Alpha Xi, and Judy Rogers, president-elect, will attend the sorority's national convention at Swampscott, Mass., June 15-19.

Miss Samuelson will serve on the nominating committee at the convention and write a story about her trip for the Alpha Xi Delta magazine.

Chi Omega

Chi O's are planning a spring vacation party Apr. 7 with Pi Kappa Alpha.

The box social will be that afternoon at the sand pits west of Omaha.

Lambda Chi Alpha

The Lambda Chi Mothers' Club will sponsor a father-son banquet for Lambda Chi's and their fathers Apr. 2 at Lowe Avenue Presbyterian Church.

Pledges will furnish entertainment following the 7 p. m. dinner.

Sigma Kappa

The Eight Tones and a Tune will play for Sigma Kappa's dinner-dance for sorority members and their dates tomorrow night at the Blackstone Hotel.

Dinner will be at 6:30 p. m.

Theta Chi

President Bob Holsten announced the following Theta Chi appointments:

Dick Bennett and Kipp Buis, Maie Day; Tom Dudyha, music and publicity; Darrell Githens, newsletter; Dick Jernan, calling; Bill Petrik, intramurals, and Fred Walters, publications.

Pi Kap Pledges Skip; Capture Three Actives

Members of the Pi Kappa Alpha pledge class successfully conducted their pledge skip Tuesday night, as they evaded actives and other chasers from 7 p. m. to midnight.

The pledges hid at the Paxton Hotel until one of the captured actives escaped. They then moved their headquarters to 42 and Western. Actives captured included Skip Decker, Dick Mathews and Bill Steck.

One of the lighter moments . . .

When, during Oklahoma dress rehearsal, one of the leading dancers who is a track star, stripped off his costume during intermission and ran over to the field house to win the two-mile race. Still in his mustache, he returned in time to go on, unnoticed, with the second act!



Sigma Phi Epsilon "Sweetheart" candidate hopefuls await the final word on who will be queen. They are (l. to. r.) Gerri Thompson, Joan Palladino, Nancy Hodgens, Mardee Martin and Donna Rasgorshek.

Greek Dinner, Dance To End Help Week

Greek Week activities will climax this evening with a 6 p. m. banquet at the University. The banquet will be followed by a dance at Peony Park from 9 p. m. to midnight. Eddy Haddad and his band will play for the dance.

At the banquet, the sorority and fraternity with the highest grade average will be honored. The president of the City Panhellenic Council will present the traditional silver tray to the honored sorority. Dean Don Pflasterer will make presentation of the keys to the Intrafraternity Council. The outstanding pledge from one fraternity and sorority will also be honored.

Lyle De Moss will be guest speaker at the banquet.

Honored guests include Dr. and Mrs. Milo Bail, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle DeMoss, Dean and Mrs. Jay B. MacGregor, Dean and Mrs. Don Pflasterer and Mrs. Mary P. Young.

A skit has been scheduled for intermission time at the dance. The group, headed by Lew Radcliffe, is composed of sorority and fraternity members from the various organizations.

Sponsoring the dance will be Dr. and Mrs. Milo Bail, Mr. and Mrs.

All-School Election Selects Prom Queen

An all-school election decided last Wednesday the new Junior Prom Queen, although her identity will be kept secret until the Junior Prom next Wednesday.

The dance will be at Peony Park from 9 p. m. to midnight. Eddy Haddad and his band will play.

Candidates for the title include Betty Ellsworth, home economics-journalism major; Joan Palladino, education major; Dorothy Traynor, speech major and Pat Vorel, dietetics and home economics major.

Pictures of the four girls will be displayed in the bookstore window beginning next Monday.

Junior class officers and student council members are working on details for the dance. Barbara Day is in charge of invitations and flowers, Gayle Anderson heads the gifts committee and Joe Hanna is in charge of programs.

Shirley Decker will take care of decorations for the dance, while Lew Radcliffe heads the publicity committee, aided by Bill Steck.

Chuck French will be master of ceremonies during the intermission time.

Admission will be one activity ticket per couple.

Social Calendar

Friday, Apr. 1
Greek Week Banquet ... 6-8 p. m.
Greek Week

Dance 9 p. m.-Midnight

Senior Class, collects dues

..... 11 a. m.-1 p. m.

Saturday, Apr. 2
Sigma Kappa Dinner

Dance 9 a. m.-midnight

Monday, Apr. 4
Campus Chest 9 a. m.-3 p. m.

Tuesday, Apr. 5
IFC, Business Meeting

..... 5:30-6:45 p. m.

Wednesday, Apr. 6
Waokiya Noon-2 p. m.

Junior Prom 9 p. m.-midnight

ROTC Chorus 7-8 a. m.

Thursday, Apr. 7
VACATION

SAC General To Visit Ball

Wheels of progress are turning as the AF-ROTC Military Ball rolls into shape for its unveiling Apr. 22. The Ball will be from 9 p. m. to 1 a. m. in the main arena of the new City Auditorium.

Two Nebraska dignitaries have been invited to the fourth annual Ball, Chairman Frank Pazlar announced. Governor Victor E. Anderson and Brig. Gen. Richard M. Montgomery, Chief of Staff of the Strategic Air Command, were extended invitations by Pazlar last week.

Gen. Montgomery, an honorary member of the Earl S. Hoag Squadron of Arnold Air Society, accepted the offer. He is one of two living officers in the nation to own membership in the Hoag Squadron. The governor will be unable to attend.

A delegation of seven Omaha U. representatives journeyed to Lincoln last weekend to request Governor Anderson's presence. Making the trip with Vice-president Charles Hoff were Cadets Pazlar, local Commander of Arnold Air Society and Bob Rasgorshek, the Colonel's aide.

Representing the Angel's Flight were Donna Reynolds, Flight Leader; Jackie Pedersen, last year's honorary Colonel, and Donna Rasgorshek. Bill Kratville, photographer representing the Public Relations office, accompanied the group. (Picture on page 8.)

The first floor of the City Auditorium will be draped in night club regalia for the Ball, Pazlar reported. Tables and chairs will be placed around the sides of the floor with an area for dancing in the center.

Home Ec Members Host at Breakfast

The Nebraska State Convention of Home Economics Clubs will be in Omaha Apr. 22-23. OU's club members will be hostesses at the Smorgasbord dinner Apr. 22 at the Fontenelle Hotel.

Jean Harrington, convention chairman, said plans have been made for a breakfast Apr. 23. Kay Just of New York will stage a fashion show after the breakfast.

Models from OU will be Shirley Decker, Betty Ellsworth, Sandy Lipari, Claudia Olson and Pat Vorel.

Dick Browning, Gene Doeschot, Bob Jones and Jim Shainholtz, the Sig Ep quartet, will sing at the breakfast.

Sigma Phi Epsilon won nearly every major sport last year in the Interfraternity League. They missed only on bowling.



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Baseball Team Faces Active Three Weeks

Four-Game Road Trip To Missouri Begins Regular Season Apr. 6

Omaha University's baseball team, weather permitting, will face a busy three weeks. This year's team, which has been hampered by the unpredictable weather, has not had a good chance to really work outdoors.

The squad will open the season Apr. 2, against the Alumni. This could be their first real test, because the Alumni squad is always strong.

The regular season will start for the Indians Apr. 6, when they meet Rockhurst, at Kansas City. The two teams play again on the following night.

On Apr. 8, the Indian nine will play another newcomer to the schedule, Sedalia Air Force Base. The two teams come back for a second game Apr. 9.

OU's first home game will be played Apr. 15 against Morning-side. Last year the Omaha team breezed by the Maroons 17-8. On Apr. 18, they will travel to Sioux City to play the Maroons, and from there they will go to Storm Lake to meet Buena Vista. They will return home Apr. 22, for a game with Nebraska Wesleyan.

Returning Players Boost Tennis Team

The success of Omaha University's tennis team will depend upon five returning lettermen.

They are Bill Berg, John Dervin, Bill Feddersen, Don Fisher and Howard Larimore. Dervin and Berg have been out of the college ranks the past four years while serving in the armed forces. Both played on the undefeated 1950 team.

Feddersen, Fisher and Larimore are the only lettermen returning from last year.

Coach Gerald Perry will make his debut at OU in the Apr. 13 opener against Washburn. Perry previously coached at Northwest Missouri State. Perry has played in the pro ranks and kept in condition last summer by working at Dewey Park.

Sigma Phi Epsilon has won the Intramural Championship in volleyball for three straight years. They are defending champions for the 1955 tournament.

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OU Rifle Team To Fire in April National Match

Omaha University's AF ROTC Rifle team will fire in the National Intercollegiate Matches which will be held between Apr. 1-30.

The match will be sponsored by the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice and will be run under Army regulations and rules.

The teams are picked from the district matches which were held in February. The top one-third from each of the six districts are invited to compete in the National.

Omaha U is in district five, but their final standing is not yet known.

Each team will fire on home grounds and send their targets to the National Rifle Association to be judged. A maximum of 15 men may enter from each school, but only the top 10 scores are counted.

Each army area is responsible for the firing of each of their teams in their district.

OUWI

There will be a meeting of all OUWI members at 4 p. m., Tuesday in the Women's PE Hut. The high school Playday and the spring banquet will be discussed.

Air Force Shoot Next for OU Team

The Omaha University AF ROTC rifle team has been invited to compete in the Secretary of the Air Force match. All entries must be submitted before Apr. 20.

Shootoffs will be held on local grounds and the targets will be sent to the National Rifle Association in Chicago for judging.

Intercity Rifle league standings have OU tied for second place with the Omaha Packers with an 8-4 record. Council Bluffs is in first place with 8 wins and 3 losses.

OU has won their last two matches in league competition, defeating Naval Personnel Center and Omaha Rifle and Revolver Club.

OUWI Plan Playday

OUWI members will sponsor a high school playday Apr. 16.

Twenty representatives from each Omaha high school will participate in both group and individual sports.

Indian Cinderlemen Have No Vacation

Omaha University's track squad faces some of its roughest competition of the year during spring vacation and the following week.

The cinderlemen tangle with Dana and Midland in a triangular Tuesday afternoon on the Omaha track. Both teams are old rivals and the meet is a good one to attend from the spectator standpoint. It will be the Indians' first bid outdoors, and times in the longer races should show a considerable drop.

Dana Star Back

One of the features of the day will be Dana College's outstanding sophomore, Marion Hudson. The versatile Hudson placed in the sprints, broadjump, hurdles, javelin and relays last year against Omaha.

The South Dakota Invitational at Vermillion will be Coach Ernie Gorr's first chance to show his charges off the home track. One of the best early outdoor invitational meets, the South Dakota Coyotes usually have 12 to 15 schools participating.

Bill Barnes will be defending his hurdle laurels of the last two years. And the mile relay team of Bob Barnes, Bob Gerdeman,

Bernie Lainson and Wayne Larsen will try to repeat their victory over the Coyotes last week.

Washburn Here

Washburn University at Topeka will travel into "Indian territory" Apr. 13 for a dual with Omaha. A peculiar jinx seems to prevail between these two rivals. In the past years, Omaha has won with ease on the home grounds, and lost just as handily when they traveled to Washburn.

The newest outdoor rival for Omaha will be Drake. The team travels to Des Moines to race the Bulldogs Apr. 19. Outstanding for Drake in their indoor performance at the Fieldhouse this year was Ray McConnell. Ray won the Drake Relays mile two years ago.

On Apr. 22 the Indians will be host to a triangular with Doane and Nebraska Wesleyan. Both schools should be ready for the meet. This will be Omaha's last performance on the home track.

For the past three years Sigma Phi Epsilon has won the Sweepstakes Champion of OU Intramurals. This is an all-events trophy.

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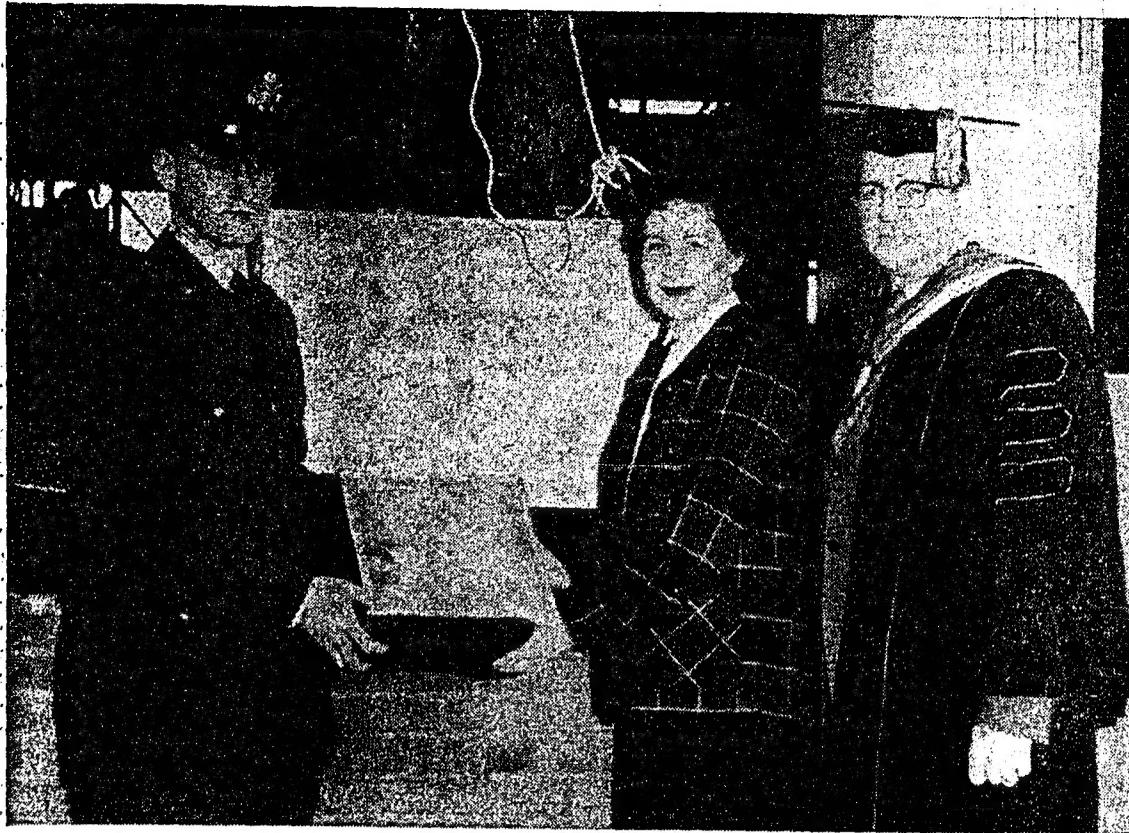


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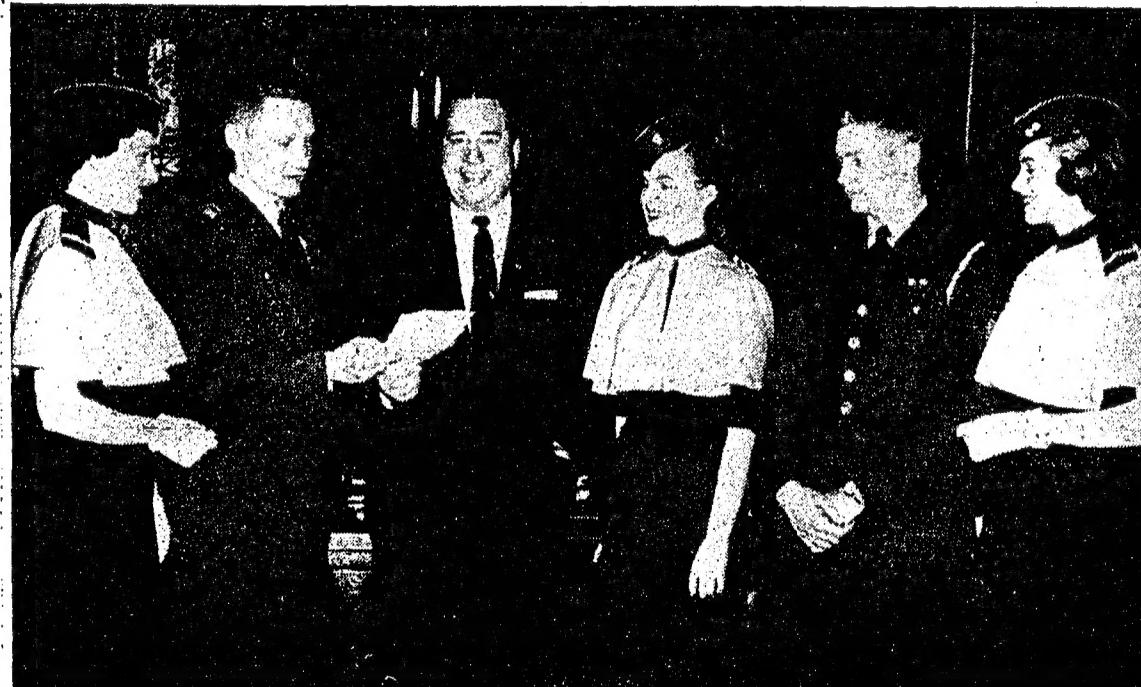
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A Moment in History

The metal box containing student signatures and messages from the faculty and organizations is placed in the new Library Cornerstone. With 2nd Lt. Duane Post, who, as senior class president, presented the cornerstone for his Class of 1954, are Donna Reynolds, Student Council representative, and President Milo Ball. Story on page 1.



Special Invitation

Representatives from Angels' Flight and the Arnold Air Society present a personal invitation to the Military Ball to Nebraska Governor Victor E. Anderson. Seen at the State Capitol are Donna Reynolds, Frank Pazlar, Gov. Anderson, Jackie Pedersen, Bob Rasgorshek and Donna Rasgorshek.



From Top to Bottom

First step in Greek Week-Help Week was to clean windows at the YMCA. Final touches will be added to the three-room project today. Greeks will celebrate the week's work at a swim party this afternoon. Story on page 6.



Sink or Swim

The holiest things around school these days are the student parking lots.

The above picture shows the deplorable condition of the Lower Parking Lot. This hole is one of a series in the lot.

The state of the West Quonset Parking Lot has reached the ridiculous. The hole there is deep enough that it is rumored students have taken up fishing between classes.

What with spring practically upon us, we think it would be a good idea to fix the parking lots before the students learn of the entertainment value of the new "lakes" on campus. Students may begin to cut classes wholesale to participate in the race to keep the "holes" for fishing or to dedicate them to swimming.

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Top Brass

One will reign as Honorary Colonel at the fourth annual Military Ball, Apr. 22 at the Omaha City Auditorium. Candidates, from left to right, are Donna Rasgorshek, Gayle Anderson, Joanne Rentschler, Lois Tate and Betty Ellsworth. Jean DuBois is not pictured. Story on page 6.



Weary, Weary Greeks

Greeks express different emotions while working at the YMCA. Chairman Ron Jenkins, seated in front, grimaces at the thought of much work, few people. His co-chairman, Lowell Huber, at the far left, nods approval to scraping efforts. Story on page 6.